

Re: U.S. Patent Application of RAINER H. WISCHINSKI)	
)	Examiner: Lazaro, David R.
)	
Application No. 09/635,280)	Conf. No.: 4936
)	
Filed: August 9, 2000)	Art Unit: 2155
)	
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROGRAMMING AN AUTOMATION DEVICE)))	Attorney Docket No.: SAA-34-2 (402P230)

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
PO Box 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

No additional fee for the Amendment is required as shown below:

					Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra		Rate	Additional Fee	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	21 -	23 =	0		x \$25=	\$	x \$50=	\$-0-
Independent	4 -	4 =	0		x \$100=	\$	x \$200=	\$-0-
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims						x \$180=	\$	x \$360=
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE								\$-0-

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0280. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

☒ Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for the presentation of extra Claims.

Respectfully submitted,

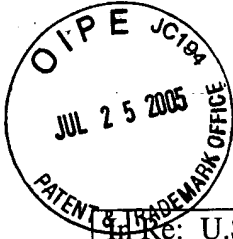
Dated: July, 2005

By: Richard C. Himelhoch
Richard C. Himelhoch, Reg. No. 35,544
Customer No. 46901
Wallenstein Wagner & Rockey, Ltd.
311 So. Wacker Drive – 53rd Floor
Chicago, IL 60606
(312) 554-3300

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on July 21, 2005.

Sarah J. Goodnight
Sarah J. Goodnight (228807)



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re: U.S. Patent Application of)	
RAINER H. WISCHINSKI)	Examiner: Lazaro, David R.
)	
Application No. 09/635,280)	Conf. No.: 4936
)	
Filed: August 9, 2000)	Art Unit: 2155
)	
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROGRAMMING AN AUTOMATION DEVICE)	Attorney Docket No.: SAA-34-2 (402P230)

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 3, 2005

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated May 3, 2005. This Reply is being submitted within the three month shortened statutory time period. Accordingly, no additional fee is required. Reconsideration of the referenced application, including all pending claims, is respectfully requested in light of the amendments and the remarks set forth below.

This Response is being submitted in a form which complies with revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121. Accordingly, all pending claims are identified by number and appropriate status identifier.

Please amend the application as follows:

Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.